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Largest stock in the city to select from.

MANILLA HATS, all grades, cheap—$2.50 to $3.50.

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We have an immense stock of SUMMER GOODS which will be sold cheap for cash.

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June 2? d&wtf

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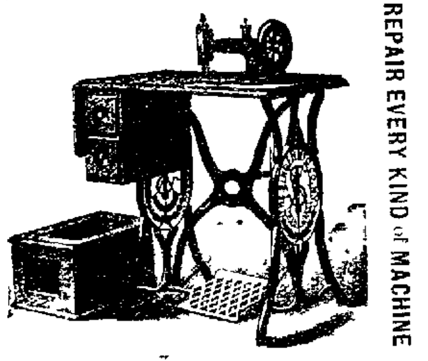

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EVERYTHING STRICTLY FIRST CLASS AT THE

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THE AMERICAN VAPOR STOVES!

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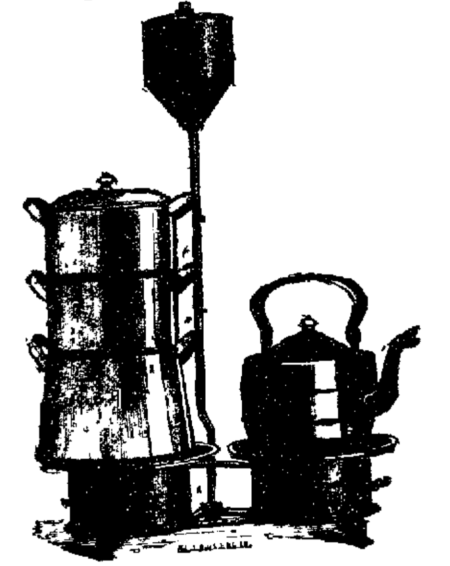

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Call at the Factory, 2d door east from John Ulrich's wholesale establishment, on East Main Street, and see the NEW IMPROVED

AMERICAN VAPOR COOKING STOVE!

It is the Best, Most Perfect and Simple Vapor Stove in the Market, and is sold for less money.

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June 28, 1882—d&wtf

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Dealer in all kinds of

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finished up by the very best of skilled workmen in the latest and best style, which will be sold at very low prices. Call and examine his stock designs and prices before purchasing elsewhere. He will not be undersold. Shop in the old Masonic building, northwest corner City Park, Decatur, Ill. Jan 14—dy

HENRY EBERT'S

Is the place where you will always find in stock the choicest lot of Foreign and Domestic Fruits, CONFECTIONERY, CIGARS &c. &c. Give him a call. Right on your way home.

☞ Water Street, second door south of Prairie. mar7d6mo

WIVES AND HUSBANDS.

The Later Not Responsible for the Former's Misdoings.

[Boston Herald.]

Up in New Hampshire Mrs Harris and her husband sued Mrs. Webster and her husband because the latter woman had spoken slanderous words of the former. Mr Webster demurred, saying he had done no wrong, and didn't care to be brought into court because his wife was alleged to have used her tongue too freely, and the Supreme Court has sustained the demurrer. The decision which involves the rights of married men as well as the wrongs of married women is long and interesting. Judge Foster who [illegible] discusses the changes which have [illegible] in the legal relations of husband and wife and the responsibility [illegible]

Under the [illegible] wife could [illegible] from her husband [illegible] was that '[illegible] flesh [illegible] common law [illegible] divinitie,' [illegible] Foster, "of the [illegible] every established fact which [illegible] to admit of any other [illegible] junction of religion [illegible] common law the [illegible] tracts were [illegible] being extinguished [illegible]

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As Judge Foster states it [illegible] being thus utterly with [illegible] control, his [illegible] personally and [illegible] torts, as for the [illegible] domestic cattle [illegible] could pursue [illegible] than that which [illegible] tracts absolutely void [illegible] social and [illegible] status [illegible] woman continues [illegible] of her condition [illegible] be much less in England than in New Hampshire. The influence of Christianity and a more widely diffused and higher system of moral and religious education have gradually ameliorated women's social condition and elevated her to a state of dignity and importance she possesses to day. Like all the changes of advancing civilization, this change has been very gradual but it has been a steady march from slavery to freedom. Herbert Spencer says that in the United States women have reached a higher status in the social structure than anywhere else, and Judge Foster adds that it is equally true that in many of the States certainly in New Hampshire more than anywhere else, have the legal distinctions between the sexes been swept away. He continues:

"Thus, by progress in the same direction by changes religious, social, customary, legislative and judicial, the rule of the common law has been abolished and obliterated and it is no longer possible to say that in New Hampshire a married woman is the chattel slave or chattel, or that in New Hampshire the conjugal unity is represented solely by the husband. By custom and by statute the wife is now joint master of the household and not a slave or a servant. The rule now is that her legal existence is not suspended. So practically has the ancient unity become dissevered and dissolved that the wife may not only have her separate property, contracts, credits, debits, wages, and causes of separate action growing out of a violation of her personal rights, but she may enter into legal contract with her husband and enforce it by suit against him."

What follows? Simply that since the wife's property is not her husband's, her earnings are not his, her legal subjection to him no greater than his to her, no reason remains for holding him liable for her wrong doing any more than for making her responsible for his. So when the Court came to pass upon the case before it, the question being why Mr Webster, an innocent man, should be held responsible for the torts of Mrs Webster, the Court was obliged to say that, having done no wrong neither he nor his property could be holden for any act of his wife, and "that the husband of these female parties are strangers in law, to the proceeding and that the demurrer should be sustained." In New Hampshire then, if nowhere else, the hen pecked husband can sit quietly and watch the triumphal progress of the female suffrage movement, and all the other movements. If he does lose a little something, he also gains. His wife is not his "slave" as she might be if he lived in some more conservative State, but if she lets her tongue run at its highest rate of vibration against her neighbor she cannot be sued. Happy Mr Webster. Unfortunate Mrs Harris.

Those men who are so lavish with advice are generally giving away that which they should reserve and make use of themselves.

Summer Excursions.

The Illinois Central railroad present unusual attractions this season to the health and pleasure seekers.

They have placed on sale at all prominent points round trip tickets to St Paul via Dubuque, and the famous Flying Dutchman train of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St Paul railway, which skirts the banks of the Mississippi for almost the entire distance, making the trip a most delightful one. Those who have visited St Paul and surroundings need not be told of its attractions. Others new to that locality, and desiring information, will please call upon the undersigned for a bill. Up the Mississippi by the "Flying Dutchman," and address Mr A V H Carpenter, general passenger agent, C M & St P Ry, Milwaukee, Wis., for copy of pamphlet entitled "Through to St Paul and Minneapolis."

All information as to rates, tickets, etc., cheerfully furnished.

W. S. NICHOLS,
Ag't Ill Central,
Decatur Ill.

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THE SPRING SUIT QUESTION.

Let us continue this subject while it is fresh upon your mind. Nearly every suit on hand now has come within a few weeks. Direct from our Chicago factory. New styles and shapes for men, boys and children that will prove a genuine and agreeable surprise in many ways, fit, fabric and particularly the price.

CHEAP CHARLEY,
The Renowned One Price Clothier.

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Leave orders at Cole Bros' drug store, at the New Deming and St Nicholas Hotels for Lintner's carriages and omnibuses. Also send orders by telephone to the office on South Main street. Calls made at all hours of the day and night. Passengers and baggage transferred to and from all trains and to all parts of the city promptly. Nov29 dtf

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The season being late, we have concluded not to carry any straw hats over and therefore we will sell them at prices that speak for themselves.

FLEURY, the French cutter,
j14-d&wtf Corner of Old Square

The $10 Suits at Stine's. M5-dtf

Russia as a Military Power.

Railroads lead from subject but hostile Poland to Moscow and St. Petersburg. These cities, therefore, are not more inaccessible than several other European capitals. Moreover, the Crimean war proved that Russia can be exhausted and defeated on her frontier.

The Russian Government is based on force. The theory is simple, but it renders a large standing army essential. Without this coercive element the government could not exist a day. Where the consent of the governed is regarded as something wholly irrelevant, a powerful substitute is required. Under such conditions an empire that includes a seventh part of the habitable globe, peopled by nearly 90,000,000 of inhabitants, of many different races, speaking many languages, can only be succesfully patroled by an immense military force. As this patrol must be kept up in time of war even more rigorously than in time of peace, it is always difficult for the government to bring a large force into the field without weakening, to a dangerous extent, the foundations upon which the empire rests.

In 1812 Napoleon invaded Russia with a force of 450,000 men, but the aggregate of the Russian strength was somewhat less than 200,000. The government coped with the difficulties of the situation with unaccustomed energy in the late war with Turkey. The avowed intention was to make the contest short, sharp and decisive. In November, 1876, the Russian army on the Danube was composed of 180,000 men. Another army of 59,000 men marched against Kars in Asiatic Turkey. In the following April the principal army had been swelled in numbers to 246,000 men, including 40,000 Servian and Roumanian auxiliaries, and 6,000 of the Bulgarian militia. The army in Asia had also been increased to 79,000. Renewed and continual efforts were made to augment the number of the troops, but the greatest number brought into the field at any one time was 514,000, including both armies of attack, with 73,411 men scattered along the shores of the Black Sea.

This seems to be rather an impotent result when we consider that in February, 1871, Prussia, with so much smaller population, invaded France with a force [illegible]50,000 men.

Why the World Progresses.

It was a favorite theory with Buckle that the world's progress is not made by the eminent goodness of men or the distinguished meanness of men. In other words he believed that goodness did not create civilization, but that the "rise of civilization" caused goodness and all of the world's progress. He never became weary in elaborating this opinion. It is the rock on which he sets out to build his "History of Civilization." All through that "mighty fragment" in every chapter of that great unfinished book we meet the idea. But nowhere is it more eloquently and forcibly stated than when he wrote: "The great crimes of Alexander or Napoleon become after a time, void of effect, and the affairs of the world return to their former level. This is the ebb and flow of history, the perpetual flux to which by the laws of our nature we are subject. Above all this, there is a far higher movement, and as the tide rolls on, now advancing, now receding, there is amid its endless fluctuations, one thing, and one alone, which endures forever. The actions of bad men produce only temporary evil, the action of good men only temporary good, and eventually the good and the evil altogether subside, are neutralized by subsequent generations, absorbed by the incessant movement of future ages. But the discoveries of great men never leave us; they are immortal, they contain those eternal truths which survive the shock of empires, outlive the struggles of rival creeds, and witness the decay of successive religions. All these have their different measures and their different standards, one set of opinions for one age, another set for another. They pass away like a dream, they are as the fabric of a vision, which leaves not a rack behind. The discoveries of genius alone remain, it is to them we owe all that we now have, they are for all ages and for all times, never young, and never old, they bear the seed of their own life, they flow on in a perennial and undying stream, they are essentially cumulative, and giving birth to the additions which they subsequently receive, they thus influence the most distant posterity, and after the lapse of centuries produce more effect than they were able to do even at the moment of their promulgation."

The treatment prescribed by Spanish physicians of the eighteenth century was so violent that it was certain death to submit to it for any length of time. In the middle of that century Spain did not possess one practical chemist.

Three people can keep a secret when two of them are dead.

The papers are full of "food" medicines, but there is no food nonsense about Carter's Liver Bitters. They make you want all the food you can get. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 11

The People's Favorite Clothier is CHEAP CHARLEY. Because his Clothing is made so well and cut so nicely. Because his assortment is so varied and fashionable. Because his salesmen are so obliging and gentlemanly, and take so much time and pains to please his customers. It is an acknowledged fact that nearly all *well dressed young men, boys and children are fitted out at the Leading Clothing Emporium of* CHEAP CHARLEY.

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C. F. Bachman & Bro.

If you wish to get value received call on C. F. Bachman & Bro. They keep a full line of Bed Room Suits, Parlor Suits, Book Cases, Mattresses, Spring Beds, Chairs etc. Also the celebrated Superior Cook Stove, the best in the world, every stove fully guaranteed. Remember the place and give them a call. Sign of the Big Elephant south of the Park.

April [illegible] d&wly

There are no departments in dry goods which deserve more consideration from ladies than Hosiery, Gloves and Corsets, and it will surprise those who would walk five blocks to save 1 cent a yard on calico, when we assure them that many of these articles are retailed from 25 to 40 per cent *higher* than we sell them.

feb1 d&wtf — LINN & SCRUGGS.

Remarkable

Linn & Scruggs have furnished with carpets nearly every new house in Decatur within the last five years and sold more carpets *last year* than was ever sold in Decatur in one year.

Feb 14 d&wtf

If you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at Shellabarger's.

Dec 18 d&wtf

When you buy your CLOTHING of CHEAP CHARLEY, you pay only manufacturers' prices. m11 d&wtf

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The popular suits of the season, Stine's $10 Suits. M5-dtf

LOOK OUT

—FOR—

Great Bargains!

Owing to the extraordinary large stocks East in Clothing on account of the dullness in trade in various sections of the United States, we have bought our second stock, now on our counters, at fully 20 per cent less than any of our competitors who still own their first purchases. In a great many items we have even made purchases far below the net cost of manufacturing.

B. STINE,

THE "BOSS CLOTHIER,"

IS THEREFORE ENABLED TO

Save You from 20 to 25 per Cent

ON EVERY PURCHASE OF

Clothing

Furnishing Goods,

Hats, Trunks, &c.

One of the factors, the great Mighty Dollar, *ready cash*, accomplishing the result, in connection with an experience of 18 years standing devoted entirely to this business, and therefore knowing where to buy, how to buy, when to buy, and what to buy.

Our Great $10

All-Wool Cassimere Suits

ARE TAKING LIKE WILDFIRE

Over 200 of Them Sold Already.

If you wish to see the Cleanest, Neatest, Biggest and Most Fashionable Stock of Clothing, don't fail to see

B. STINE,

THE "BOSS" CLOTHIER.

June 2, 1882—d&w

IRON ROOFING.

SMITH, HALDEMAN & CHANDLER'S

COMBINED CAP AND ANCHOR IRON ROOFING.

It is WATER-PROOF.
It is FIRE-PROOF.
It is LIGHTNING-PROOF.

It is more durable than tin or slate, and *cheaper* than either. It is suitable for any style of building.

MANUFACTURED AT THE

Corner of Water and Cerro Gordo Streets,

Where orders will be received and promptly executed by

ROBERT McCLELLAND.

April 15 d&w3mos

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The Genuine Article manufactured every day at

A. O. Brewer's Bakery

25 North Main Street

I have in my employ a first class baker who has had long experience in baking all kinds of Fancy Bread, and I have at large expense [illegible] the justly celebrated Vienna Bread.

Try this Vienna Bread and you will say it is the finest you have ever eaten.

My Wheat and Rye Bread and Boston Brown Bread is still up to its excellent standard. Cakes for parties and festivals furnished, and a fresh stock always on hand for family use.

Thankful to the public for their increased patronage, I assure all my friends that I shall do everything in my power to merit their continuance [illegible]

A. O. BREWER.

☞ Breakfast Buns fresh every morning and Vienna Rolls and Doughnuts fresh every afternoon. feb4-dtf

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TIME TABLE QUINCY & KEOKUK PACKETS

Lv St Louis	4 00 pm	Lv Keokuk	2 00 pm
Clarksville	12 30 am	Quincy	[illegible]30 pm
Louisiana	1 30 am	Hannibal	[illegible]00 pm
Hannibal	5 00 am	Louisiana	10 00 pm
Quincy	7 00 am	Clarksville	11 00 pm
Ar Keokuk	11 00 am	Ar St Louis	5 00 am

TIME TABLE ST LOUIS & ST PAUL PACKETS

Lv St Louis Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday 4 p m
Hannibal Wednesday, Friday and Sunday 1 a m
Quincy Wednesday, Friday and Sunday 5 a m
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Dubuque Friday, Sunday and Tuesday, 5 a m
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Ar St Paul Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday 8 a m

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July 8—12mos

HIGHWAY NOTICE.

Public Letting of Contract

NOTICE is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned commissioners of highways of the town of Decatur on Saturday, the 29th day of July 1882 at two o'clock P M for painting bridges known as follows: Spangler mill bridge, Priest ford bridge, Grubb bridge, Wykoff ford bridge, and the Stevens creek bridges on the Springfield and Mt. Pulaski roads. Said bridges to be painted with two coats of mineral paint and raw linseed oil, all scale to be thoroughly scraped off and all rivets to be screwed up tight, the work to be completed by October 1st, 1882. The commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids and no part of the contract price will be paid until the job is completed.

Dated at Decatur this 18th day of July, 1882.

D. A. MAFFIT,
J. J. ANTRIM,
C. M. CALDWELL,

Commissioners of Highways of the town of Decatur, county of Macon and State of Illinois. July 18 d10d

WE BEAT THEM ALL!

Come see and supply yourselves with our

Solid Comfort

—AT—

J. C. WISE & CO.'s

New Furniture Store

West Side of the Old Square

Splendid Goods and Low Prices.

☞ Repairing a specialty and done in the best possible manner and promptness at low figures. July 1 [illegible]

O YES! O YES!

The undersigned having taken out a city license as Auctioneer will hold

Monthly Stock Sales

—AT—

CULP'S WAGON YARD

on the FIRST SATURDAY OF EVERY MONTH, or on any other days by special arrangement. Will also attend to the business of an auctioneer in any part of the city or surrounding country. Having had an experience of 25 years in the business I can confidently guarantee satisfaction.

JAMES W. THORNHILL,
June 19—d&w3mo — Boody Illinois

$66 a week in your own town. Terms and $5 outfit free. Address H. HALLETT & Co., Portland, Maine. Feb3-d&wly

When in Our Store

You need not look OUT (when elsewhere please look OUT) for Great Bargains, we have such constantly on our counters. All you need to do is to look IN, and be convinced THAT OUR STOCK NEVER GROWS OLD. IT CHANGES CONTINUALLY. We do not buy like some competitors once in a season, and then try all kinds of bogus advertisements and dodges to TRY TO GET RID OF SUCH GOODS WHICH WE WOULD NOT RECOMMEND. OH, NO. WE RECEIVE WEEKLY—MAY SAY NEARLY DAILY—FRESH GOODS FROM OUR FACTORY IN CHICAGO, and such Bargains as can be picked up by our partner, who is with cash in the market every day to get the Cream of all chances which are offered. WE KNOW WE SELL THE MOST CLOTHING IN CENTRAL ILLINOIS; but we know also that it is not us personally who causes this, but it is the quality, the price and fit of all the Clothing we have sold, and which has given better satisfaction than that bought elsewhere, which has made friends for us, who are aware that any Suit offered at any price large or small, can be gotten of us in better quality and style for less money. Our cheap All Wool Suits take not only the Cake but baker shop, girl, cake and all.

CHEAP CHARLEY.

KAUFMANN & BACHRACH M[illegible]

Not wealth nor birth [illegible]
But GET RIGHT UP AND GIT that [illegible]

Successors to

KAUFMANN & BACHRACH

MEN AND BOYS

Clothing!

[illegible] Goods for Men's Wear

[illegible] East Main [illegible]

DECATUR

[illegible]

Administrators' Notice

[illegible]

ELIZABETH E CUMMINS
ABBOTT E LISLEY

[illegible]

MASTER'S SALE

STATE OF ILLINOIS,
Macon County.

[illegible]

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of [illegible]

Monday the 24th day of July A. D. 1882,

[illegible] Decatur in said county [illegible] State of Illinois [illegible] west quarter [illegible] County Recorder [illegible]

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery [illegible]

[illegible]

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS,
Macon County,
Macon Circuit Court.

Joseph C. Jackson vs. Asbury [illegible] Mary Childers. No. 1140.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the May term A. D. 1882, I John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said Court, will on

Friday, the 4th day of August A. D. 1882

at the hour of two o'clock P. M. of said day, shall sell at public auction at the [illegible] door of the Court House in Decatur in said county the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Commencing at the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of section sixteen [illegible] township [illegible] range two east of the [illegible] P M as platted in Book No. twenty two [illegible] in Recorder's Office of Macon county [illegible] running thence south [illegible] thence [illegible] line of the Decatur and East St Louis [illegible] right-of-way [illegible] thence [illegible] beginning [illegible] five chains [illegible] northwest [illegible] of the southeast quarter [illegible] township sixteen [illegible] range [illegible] thence east one [illegible] the Decatur and East St Louis [illegible] thence south [illegible] west four [illegible] chains [illegible] seventy-one [illegible] links along said [illegible] north four [illegible] chains and fifty-eight [illegible] links to the place of beginning, containing [illegible] of an acre more or less, together with [illegible] singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur Ill July 6th 1882.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
H. PASCO & [illegible] for Complainants.
July 6 d4w

Executor's Notice.

Estate of MARTIN L. LAWS, Deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Martin L. Laws deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the court house in the city of Decatur on the 3rd Monday of August A. D. 1882, being the first day of said term.

Decatur Ill July 1 A. D. 1882.

GERTRUDE A. LAWS, Executrix.

July 1—d&w

MORGAN & STOUT,

M[illegible]

TIN, COPPER

Sheet Iron Work

[illegible]

Cor. of Main and Franklin Sts.

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CHANCERY NOTICE

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ASK YOUR GROCER

FOR

MUZZY'S STARCH

But One Quality—THE BEST.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED OR MONEY REFUNDED.

March 20 d&w[illegible]

M. A. MYER — F. [illegible] MYER

MYER & SON,

HOUSE AND SIGN

PAINTERS!

SPECIALTIES:

Decorating, Graining, Gilding, Frescoing and Tinting

[illegible] Park corner [illegible]

$72 A WEEK. $12 a day at home easily made. Costly outfit free. Address TRUE & CO., Augusta, Maine. feb3-d&wly

The Daily Republican.

WEDNESDAY EVENING JULY 19 1882

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HAMSHER & MOSSER, Propri't'rs
DECATUR ILLINOIS

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur Illinois, as second class mail matter

REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

For State Treasurer
GEN JOHN C SMITH
Of Cook county

For Superintendent of Public Instruction
CHARLES T STRATTON
Of Jefferson county

For Congressman—14th District
JONATHAN H ROWELL
Of McLean county

FIFTY small boys, in different parts of the country have died since the fourth of July, by reason of wounds inflicted by the "innocent" toy pistol

THE hay crop of Illinois this year will reach nearly the average Last year the crop was valued at $24,184,087 The crop is next in importance to that of corn

WHOLESALE liquor dealers in the various cities are not now disposed to sell to parties in Iowa, except for cash in advance as the effect of the constitutional amendment renders the forced collection of liquor bills impossible

THE woman who killed Charley Stiles, last week in Chicago, has been indicted for murder by the grand jury of Cook county and the case will come up for trial at the September term of the criminal court

ALL peace negotiations between the warring factions of the Republican party in Pennsylvania seem to have come to an end, the "regulars" asserting that the communications of the several "independent" candidates differ so widely in their conclusions as to bar all further attempt to settle the trouble

THE jurors who condemned Guiteau have petitioned Congress for an allowance of $[illegible] per day during the time they served on the jury The petition was presented to the senate yesterday, and was referred Why a jury should be paid more for trying the assassin than for going through the same work on any other case is one of those conundrums that nobody can answer

HON ROBERT R HITT, who received the Republican nomination for congress in the Sixth district yesterday, has had much experience in public affairs He was for a long time committee clerk in Washington was for eight years an attache of the American legation at Paris, and afterwards held the position of assistant secretary of State under Secretary Blaine

THE funeral of Mrs Mary Todd Lincoln relict of the late President Lincoln took place at Springfield to day The following gentlemen acted as pall bearers Gov Cullom, Judge Samuel H Treat Hon J C Conkling Hon Milton Hay, Hon Jacob Bunn, Hon O M Hatch Col John Williams and Capt John S Bradford The services were held at the First Presbyterian Church, Rev Dr Reed officiating after which the remains were conveyed to Oak Ridge, and deposited in the crypt of the Lincoln monument The attendance of distinguished people was very large and all business in the city was suspended during the progress of the obsequies

THOSE Republican members of congress who are absent from Washington "looking after their fences" thereby enabling the Democrats to break a quorum and thus defeat legislation should be permitted to remain at home the remainder of their lives When a man is elected to represent a district in congress he ought to be compelled to attend to the duties that he was so anxious to assume and the people who sent him there should insist upon his doing so or retiring from public life He should be taught that there are other obligations resting upon him in addition to the labor of securing his own re election If his record as a representative is not such as to commend him to the favor of his constituents for re election he had better be relegated to private life

News from Monticello—Special

ED. REPUBLICAN —The opening of the third day of the Piatt county institute at Monticello finds an enrollment of near eighty The assignment of lessons having been announced in the Monticello *Herald*, the classes were all able to recite the first day In some of the common branches there are three classes so that the ordinary objection of large classes is quite overcome

The republican legislative convention for this district was held at Monticello on Tuesday Champaign county having more delegates than both DeWitt and Piatt threatened to nominate Mr Richards of Tolono as representative, and thus while having the senator to leave to the other counties one representative only The delegates began to assemble the day before the convention and there was every prospect of a serious split in the party Not until the convention assembled did Mr Richards consent to withdraw and thus release the Champaign delegates from their instruction for him When he made this sacrifice in the interest of harmony, the troubled waters became serene, and Messrs Calhoun, of DeWitt, and Haldeman, of Piatt were unanimously nominated In this district the party goes into the campaign thoroughly united and sure of success DECATUR

WALKING SHOES for $1.00 at Barber & Baker's. April 15–d&wtf

For the REPUBLICAN

PROHIBITIONIST CONVENTION AT DECATUR

Patriot Talks to the Republicans

FELLOW REPUBLICANS —Are we at sea without a compass? What is an assemblage of this day and generation? Look at the convention, if you will, held yesterday It was composed of Democrats, Republicans, Greenbackers, Roosters, Stalwarts Pullets, Kickers and Prohibitionists —that is all I believe What a heterogeneous mass of "Blue Spirits and white, black spirits and grey" we were, any way! I was there, a looker on it was the most colossal consolidation of all shows on earth I am an old Whig, and I feel like a cat in a strange garret, and like Balaam's ass —only come out when kicked out —and some may think the latter name appropriate before I get through, but I intend to have my say in times like the present I am a Republican who dares to follow where our own Lincoln would lead, (if upon earth), and as he said at Gettysburg, "Let us finish the work they begun"

The Democratic bosses, with an out of meat expression of countenance, insist that there is no issue, that it is the ins against the outs Fudge! You can't catch old birds with chaff I tell you, patriots, there is an issue, the same devil is in them, but the past is gone the present is ours, we have the manhood to guard the future The Democracy and their southern allies are now and have been since the election of Garfield, in a game of masterly inactivity, and in the event they get power, you ought to know the result But it cannot, must not be there is deep down in the recess of every Republican, and a portion of the loyal Democracy, a sentiment as dear to them and as sacred as the soldiers' graves, and they will wade in blood fetlock deep to defend the right

At the present juncture I would pull out the keystone of the arch of dogmas and the evils of the day, and I believe the evil of intemperance to be of great prominence, and let the structure topple to the ground I have only brains enough to grasp one idea when of the magnitude wrapt in the folds of the bullet riddled flag It should be the keynote of every patriot in this and many campaigns hereafter, that one idea That key note is not recorded in history as a mere barren ideality since Buchanan, Floyd & Co held the purse and sword

When the Democracy, as a party, sleeps the sleep that knows no waking I am with you, Brother Prohibitionist, in any reasonable way to get rid of the hell born evil But it is not yet let us bide our time All we can do is to enforce the laws, at at present I will join you when the Democracy is, by the popular verdict, very dead, in the hands of the undertaker and carriages at the door, upon such occasion without the customary black bordered note, "yourself and family are respectfully," etc I promise to forego my other ecstatic pleasure and serve as pall bearer While it lives, it's catalogue of crimes it's existence is a menace to the true principles of government, and so long as it lifts it's venomous head to bask in heaven's sunshine, it is the duty of every patriot to put his heel upon it I implore you, loyal Democrats, to vote in the campaign as you shot Republicans, stand by your colors be firm in the right Let all patriots abandon all dime side shows, in every instance they detract from the patriotic party, and are in the interest of the Democratic party and their southern friends Come all patriots under the main canvass, take pot luck and smoke the pipe of peace with us, all eyes looking to the banner of beauty and glory as the sunflower turns to her god Let it be the guiding star around which our thoughts revolve like satellites Do this, and in the evening of the 2d of November the long metre Doxology will be in order

The Prohibition Platform

Below is the declaration of principles adopted by prohibitionists in attendance at the mass congress and convention yesterday

1st That the [illegible] as a beverage [illegible] against [illegible] which [illegible] humanity [illegible] right and that Christianity [illegible]

That the [illegible] in the District of Columbia in territories and in every other place [illegible] laws [illegible] the importation exportation [illegible] manufacture and traffic in [illegible] beverages is a high crime [illegible] and we [illegible] the prohibition [illegible] measure [illegible] persistent and [illegible] stipulations with foreign [illegible] prevent the importation and exportation of all alcoholic beverages

The adoption of an amendment to the constitution of the state of Illinois prohibiting the manufacture and sale of alcoholic beverages in the state

3 The abolition of class legislation and of special privileges in the government and the adoption of equal suffrage and eligibility to office without distinction of race religion, creed property or sex

4 We protest against the action of the old parties in refusing to submit to a vote of the people an amendment to the constitution of the state of Illinois prohibiting the traffic manufacture and sale of intoxicants in the state

5 We demand that all legislation should be so enacted as to secure to each person as nearly as possible a just reward for his own labors and we denounce all lawlessness violence and fraud that refuses submission to the will of the people honestly expressed through the ballot

6 The money of the nation whether of metal or paper should be issued exclusively and directly by the government and be made equally a full legal tender for all debts public and private duties and taxes due the United States except for payment of such obligations as are by existing contracts expressly made payable in coin

7 We favor the unlimited coinage of silver on like terms as the coinage of gold the [illegible] of coin certificates for gold or silver deposited in the United States treasury the same to be legal tender and redeemable in gold or silver coin the maintenance of the national currency now outstanding that the government debt should not be refunded so as to extend the time of payment The resources of the government should be frugally managed so that the bonds may be paid as they mature

8 That the duties and revenues of the government should be so levied as to protect American labor and relieve the common necessaries of life from burdensome taxation as far as practicable

9 We protest against the setting aside of the revenues on intoxicants for school purposes and arraign it as a measure calculated to perpetuate the liquor traffic in this country

10 *Resolved*, That we are in favor of applying the surplus money in the treasury to the payment of the national debt, so far as it will reach, on bonds now due and subject to call at the option of the government

11 *Resolved* That we highly appreciate the efficiency of women in the cause of temperance, and especially the work of the Women's Christian Temperance Union in their efforts to promote the cause of temperance and of legal prohibition

ALWAYS avoid harsh purgative pills. They first make you sick and then leave you constipated Carter's Little Liver Pills regulate the bowels and make you well. Dose, one pill Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen 14

THE $10 Suits at Stine's M5–dtf

CHIPS FROM THE COUNTRY

The Plans of the Oreana Town Hall—Whitmore Whispers

MAROA MATTERS

Announcements have been made in the M E Church and otherwise that Rev James P Dimmitt of the First M E Church Decatur will preach here on Thursday evening in the Methodist Church It is to be hoped that the people will all come out and hear him

The M E Church since it has been enlarged and beautified is a house worthy the name and a place in Maroa There has been a number of improvements in our town this year The Presbyterian Church has secured a nice parsonage the residence of Mr S Lowe, who has gone to Kansas and we learn has secured a fine property as a permanent home Last week a new roof was put on the Presbyterian church They don't believe in being sprinkled more than once New gravel walks are rapidly taking the place of old ones and they give good satisfaction

Farmers are feeling first rate over the small grain crops and grass a blue tint, however is to be seen around their lips as they think of the corn crop They are expecting to come to want as usual The truth is they are like our business men in town they are in want—of more Their evening requiem is "More and more, always more"

Our young and esteemed doctor W McLean has left us and gone to do business in Warrensburg May joy and success attend him

There is to be a camp meeting here conducted by Rev Abbitt He has wonderful success about home—hence the importance of launching out where people are not religious It is hoped good may be done but fear is entertained that the band will overshoot the mark, like they did last winter ALZUBET

THAT NEW HALL

Members of the Oreana Union Hall Stock Company met on Saturday as previously announced President J Schock in the chair The members of the committee on specifications excepting R Kirby being present, their report was not made in favor Some plans of individual members were then submitted, and after due consideration and some lively discussion the plan presented by A J Steninger was then adopted The plan calls for a building [illegible] feet long 32 feet wide and walls 18 feet The inside specifications are a six foot anteroom a gallery with an 18 foot floor and folding doors that will throw the gallery floor into a private room when needed The plan also calls for a 10 foot stage in rear of building with an elevation of 3 feet and a basement room underneath it The committee on site reported favorably but not definitely, and their time was extended A B Kuhns Joe Hay J Green R Kirby and A J Steninger were appointed a committee to secure estimates on cost of building required J Green and R Kirby were chosen members of the soliciting committee It was then moved that the committees make special effort to present definite reports at next meeting A motion to meet again in two weeks (on evening of July 29) to receive reports of committee, was carried The meeting then adjourned

W H CANTZ Sec

FROM WHITMORE

ED. REPUBLICAN —Not seeing any communications in your interesting paper for some weeks back and fearing you might think the recent rains had gotten the best of us—that perhaps we were calling out with all our might to let up I thought I would pen you a few epistles so you would know that we are here yet and like puddle ducks the rains have done us an immense amount of good Our crops are saved and the ravages of that little pest known as the chintz bug have been stayed

The wheat harvest is good Some of it is already in the stack other is separated from the straw and now is on its way to the market at the fair and living price of one dollar per bushel The prospect now is that all will be saved in the best of condition

Hay harvest is now bringing forth in all its glory and oat harvest is nearing the [illegible] promising well

The U B church held their quarterly meeting at Union church this township, closing on the 16th of July Elder Fields preached some able and effective sermons

The Misses Mattie and Jessie Stuart are attending the county teachers institute at Monticello Piatt county which is in session now

Our friend John [illegible] of Oreana correspondent of the *Saturday's Herald* at above place did not put in an appearance last week Wonder what's the matter with him

The word rain has not got the same amount of moisture in it that it had a few weeks ago, and already it has a dry and whistling sound

There are some very promising fields of corn in Whitmore and taking all things together and looking on the bright side of things farmers have many reasons to rejoice Take courage and go ahead PADDY

July [illegible] 1882

Illini Items

Rev R M Sargent and wife take a vacation to visit their son, Rev C S Sargent in New Haven, Vermont They go to Chicago to visit, and thence with Ayer's Excursion

It was decided to hold the Sabbath School only at 4 o'clock p m, for a few Sabbaths, and worship in the morning with other neighboring churches

Wheat harvest is well finished, and all are thankful to Providence for favorable weather It is a fine crop Now all are busy stacking or threshing from the shock and haying Oats are ripening fast

PHILADELPHIA, July 18 General Grant has been giving his opinion on the eastern question to a *Record* reporter He sides with England, and says the people of Egypt are ten times worse off than the negroes of the south He believes an English protectorate would help develop the resources of the country and improve the condition of the people

ALEXANDRIA, July 18 Arabi Pasha is still issuing orders and making appointments in the Khedive's name Arabi's force on the canal is estimated at 10,000, including the Bedouins who gave adhesion to Arabi four days ago The wounded Arabs from Alexandria were sent to Cairo The sight of plunder selling in the bazaars stimulated the Caireans to imitate the Alexandrians The last Englishman who left Cairo and arrived at Suez describes the people as wild and threatening He thinks the European portion of the city will be burned Ulemas are preaching war for Arabi Pasha The latter said when the first shot of the bombardment was fired all the principal traitors to his cause must be put away There were only about forty, and ten minutes would suffice Loyal ministers naturally feel anxious

Another correspondent telegraphs from Alexandria Arabi Pasha threatens to cut the Mahmoudie Canal, which supplies the town with water He now prevents provisions entering so that as numbers of Europeans are returning there is a likelihood of a famine An unsuccessful attempt was made to fire Cairo An attempt to seize an Englishman's house there was frustrated by the loyal governor

SMART WEED and Belladonna combined with the other ingredients used in the best porous plasters make Carter's S. W. & B. Backache Plasters the best in the market Price 25 cents. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 14

A Friend in Need

Time over and again THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL has proved a salutary friend to the distressed As a reliable curative for croup in children, sore throat and bronchial affections, and as a positive external remedy for pain, it is a never failing antidote. Sold by druggists 18

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

ALEXANDRIA.

How the American Marines Behaved.

Political and Congressional Notes.

ALEXANDRIA, July 18 – The Khedive states that 205 Europeans have been killed at Kafr el dwar

Last night was quiet The lines are now very strongly guarded The police arrangements are thoroughly effective

The idea of occupying Ramleh Palace has been abandoned Five hundred marines will occupy seven different centers, which, it is expected, will place the whole town under efficient surveillance A native police is being organized to act under the military police, and a detective force has been instituted to search for suspicious persons

A correspondent has opened communication with the camp of Arabi Pasha, which, his informant says, consists of a little over 6,000 men, who are intensely discontented, and surrounded by starving women and children Recruits of the lowest class are still being enticed by Arabi with promises of unlimited plunder His force is held together by the assertion that the English will kill all returning to the city Arabi and Toulba Pashas have utterly lost prestige by their gross cowardice during the bombardment The artillerymen were kept at their guns on the 11th instant by infantry posted under cover

LONDON, July 18 The leading article in the *Morning Post* says "The behavior of the American admiral and his men at Alexandria is beyond all praise Amid the diplomatic protests, European concerts and conferences, and naval demonstrations of imbecility, it is refreshing to find a commander who is able and willing on his own account to say what he thinks and do what he says Sixty marines physically speaking could not do much, but there is a way of giving support which quadruples its value The conduct of the Americans during the night of alarm that Arabi Pasha was coming contrasts remarkably with that of the French and Italians"

DUBLIN, July 18 It is feared that another crisis is approaching The weather threatens utter destruction to what promises to be the finest harvest ever reaped in Ireland Heavy and almost incessant rain has laid low many flourishing fields Potatoes have suffered severely If the weather improves there will still be hope of recovering

WASHINGTON, July 18 The Republicans of the Senate begin to think of trying to force the Democrats to close the debate on the Revenue bill by holding a continuous session until action is had on the bill In the House the Democrats propose to refuse consideration of the bill, and to filibuster to prevent taking it up

Mrs Garfield has written a member of the Ohio Association, suggesting that the association buy the Garfield residence as the Ohio headquarters, saying she would rather have the building so used than to have it go into private hands She asks $15,000 for the residence Real estate men say it is worth only $10,000

Lieutenant Danenhower has written to members of Congress urging that an appropriation of $25,000 be made to bring the bodies of DeLong and parties home

It is said that Senator Logan and others in the Senate are preparing to make a vigorous fight against the reduction of the tobacco tax

The Texas members of Congress have information that an English company is preparing to run a semi monthly line of steamers from Liverpool to Savannah, Ga, to connect with the Georgia Central Railroad for Texas They expect to bring large numbers of immigrants and returning carry Texas cattle and California productions from the Southern Pacific road

It is said that the principal reason for secresy as to the whereabouts of Guiteau's bones, lies in the fact that Hicks is afraid that Mrs Scoville will bring suit to get possession of them

NEW YORK, July 18 The argument began to day in the supreme court upon the application for a peremptory mandamus against the New York Central and Erie railway companies to compel them to receive and transmit freight promptly Simon Stein, counsel for the merchants, said incalculable damage has been and is still being done, because of illegal and pernicious neglect of the companies in the premises and stated that the estimated losses to the merchants had been $1,000,000 daily He also said that affidavits showed that the only reason given by the companies for this neglect was that they had refused to employ men competent to perform the work of removing and handling freight.

Ex Judge Shipman, for the railway companies, said when a man's freight was detained at the railroad depot he had a right by action at law for damages sustained but not by mandamus No such authority had been vested in the attorney general by statute, as that which he had here assumed The counsel questioned the right of the attorney general to assume the supervision of common carriers in regard to the shipment of freight. It may be said that the temporary inability of the roads to carry their freight diverted trade from the state, but this did not give the court power to grant the mandamus applied for

WASHINGTON, July 18 —The senate Republicans held a caucus this morning and determined on an adjournment July 29 In order to accomplish this they will have to choke off Democratic tariff oratory Whether they will be able to do this, and get through the other business by that date, is very doubtful, and even if they do the house will scarcely dispose of the amended revenue bill by that date Many think that the result will be to tie the bill up between the two houses Should the house Democrats filibuster against it the Republicans will be rather glad of that excuse to let the bill go over

The annual reports of the bread stuffs for the year shows a serious falling off in exports, the figures for 1881 being $265,000,000 against $176,000,000 for the year ending June 30, 1882

The report of the committee on the Smalls Tillman case from South Carolina shows that the vote of the county of Edgefield was rejected by the committee because from 2,500 to 3,000 Republicans in that county had been prevented from voting, and the additional fact that no returns from the county were ever made to the state canvassing board Twelve other precincts in various parts of the state were also rejected for a similar reason The total number of votes thus rejected by the committee was about 11,000 Stories of the treatment of the colored voters who attempted to vote were most surprising in their nature, men being shot and driven from the polls, and in one case a supervisor of election was driven from the polls and chased into a swamp and has not been heard from since

FREEPORT, Ill, July 18 – In the Republican Congressional Convention, held here this afternoon, Hon R R Hitt, of Ogle county, was nominated on the ninth ballot The several counties cast their full votes, with slight variations, for their respective candidates On the ninth ballot, Carroll cast seven of her ten votes for Hitt and three for Hunter Jo Daviess gave eleven for Spensely, and Stephenson, breaking from General Adkins, gave her full vote of fourteen ballots to Hitt, securing for him the nomination Winnebago followed with eight votes for Hitt, and before the result could be announced, Jo Daviess and Carroll changed to Hitt also The convention was perfectly harmonious

ALEXANDRIA, July 18 Admiral Seymour has issued a manifesto announcing he has undertaken, with the consent of the Egyptian government, the restoration of order Nobody is allowed to leave the town after sunset Refugees continue to be found The offer of rations which Admiral Seymour has made to such Egyptian soldiers as choose to return to their allegiance to the Khedive will be a considerable inducement to loyalty and will increase the staff available for pressing sanitary operations Large numbers of the dead were buried to day

The Americans stopped the fire at several points They went aboard their vessel last night but a fresh party was landed to day

No talk necessary to sell Stine's all wool $10 Suits M5 dtf

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Having no room to store goods, I have this day made the following reductions

$5.00	Vest Reduced to	$4.00
4.50	" "	3.50
3.50	" "	2.75
3.00		2.25
2.50	"	2.00
2.25	"	1.75
4.00	Manilla Hat, Reduced to	$2.50
3.00	" "	1.50
2.50	Mackinaw Hat	1.25
2.00	" "	1.00
1.50	" "	75
1.00	"	50
4.00	Blue Blouse	3.00

Alpaca, Linen and Drap de ete Coats reduced in same proportion as above

$15.00	Cass Suit Reduced to	$12.50
12.50	"	10.00
10.00	Flannel Suit "	8.00
6.00	Child's Kilt "	4.00
5.00	" "	3.50
4.00	" "	3.00
3.00	" "	2.50
1.00	" Waist "	65
1.15	" "	80

The above goods are all new, unsurpassed in style and finish, bought for this Summer's trade, but the weather has been unpropitious They must be sold to make room for the Fall and Winter goods already bought

I also have a few TRUNKS that I will sell at less than they cost to manufacture

JOHN IRWIN,
White Front, P O Block
July 14d&w1

DISSOLUTION.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing under the firm name of MUELLER FAHRBACH & MUELLER has this day been dissolved by mutual consent
MUELLER FAHRBACH & MUELLER

NEW FIRM

Hereafter the Plumbing Steam and Gas Fitting business will be carried on by H Mueller and Philip Mueller under the firm name of H MUELLER & SON With the usual facilities and skilled workmen we hope to merit the favor of all our old patrons
July 10—dtf H MUELLER & SON

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July 6–d&w1mo

THE great all wool Cassimere Suits at B. Stine's, the Boss Clothier. M5–dtf

WANTED, LOST, FOUND,&c.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance No trade advertisements inserted in this column]

WANTED—A situation in a small family to do light house work Inquire at No [illegible] East Eldorado street 18 dtf

LOST—Friday, July 14th between Decatur and L R Morse's farm (15 miles northwest of Decatur) a leather valise containing a bottle of chloroform and a number of surgical instruments Owner's name is engraved on a plate on side of valise A liberal reward will be paid for returning to Drs W J & C CHENOWETH or W C Armstrong druggist
July 17—d6d w1

LOST—Between Heilman Imboden & Co's store and the corner of Eldorado and Water streets a sum of money, which the finder will please return to this office and receive a suitable reward 18 dtf

FOR SALE—Two fine and sound young driving horses good style and action and two work horses also a first-class phaeton one farm wagon and some single and double harness GEO P BLUME at the Singer Office
July 16—d6

WANTED—A situation to work in a family by a woman with a child a year and a half old She would part with the little boy to be adopted into a good family or she would pay a dollar and a half a week to a good woman to take care of him Inquire at Dr Sargent's office July [illegible]

FOR SALE—Three dwellings near the business part of town Price and terms reasonable Apply to B McGorray over Abel & Locke's carpet store July [illegible] d w

FURNITURE FOR SALE—Being about to remove from Decatur I will sell all my parlor, bedroom dining room and kitchen furniture Bargains may be had if called for at once, as all must be sold within two weeks Call at residence No 8 West William street
July 14—dod H. P. CHRISTIE

FOR SALE OR RENT—House No 8 North Main street contains 8 rooms kitchen and cellar water and gas fixtures and good cistern Lot 80x1[illegible] feet large barn in good condition wood house etc Pear and apple trees grapes and small fruit The lot is tiled Apply at premises or to [illegible]

SAND—I have the best building and plastering sand in the city All orders left at Joseph Michl's Mills & Harry's or at the brewery, will be promptly attended to Sand bank on South Broadway
March 30—d&wtf EDWARD FRANCIS

BREAD—I have moved my bakery from North Main to Cemetery street where I will be pleased to fill all orders for bread Will deliver bread to all parts of the city morning and evening Can order by telephone Boarders will be furnished meals and lodging
July 3–d&wtf JOSEPH McCRARY

WANTED—A young man aged [illegible] an experienced grocery clerk desires a situation stranger in the city best of reference given Address K REPUBLICAN office [illegible]

LOST—On Thursday July [illegible] between Decatur and my residence 4 miles northwest a pocket book containing from $[illegible] A reward of $10 will be paid for its return to me or to the REPUBLICAN office
July [illegible] ASA [illegible]

FOR RENT—A suite of rooms with all modern conveniences—suitable for light housekeeping or sleeping apartment [illegible] Harry's Apply to C Cassell [illegible]
[illegible]6-tf

R. S. HAMMOND shipper and wholesale dealer in Eggs and Poultry 18 and [illegible] West Main street [illegible]

MEN WANTED—At the Central Drain Tile Works 6 miles north of Springfield Ill Steady employment and good wages Address or call at once on the Central Drain Tile Co Central Sangamon county Ill [illegible]

OF INTEREST TO EVERYBODY—The neatest and most reliable upholster and furniture repairer in the city can always be found at Bachman Bros' Furniture House Leave your orders C F HART
June 14—tf

SCROLL SAWING and turning done to order at Will C Andress' factory corner Franklin and Cerro Gordo streets
May 1 tf

J. M. LOWRY Justice of the Peace and Collecting Agent writes and certifies the acknowledgment of deeds mortgages leases releases and other instruments neatly and correctly Office Powers Block, room [illegible] Decatur Illinois [illegible]

REAL ESTATE OFFICE of Kaufman & Randolph over Decatur National Bank Parties wanting to buy or sell property will do well to call on them [illegible]

SOME very desirable lots on West William street as nice as can be found in the city suitable for fine residences
7 12 KAUFMAN & RANDOLPH

WE have property all over the city for sale Also lots from $175 to $1000 each
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CHEAP LOTS—For sale to parties intending to build Apply to MONTGOMERY & SMITH Powers Block [illegible] tf

NICE high dry dwelling lots—six blocks from old square—good shade excellent drainage lots 60 by 150 and [illegible] alley [illegible] cheap Also [illegible] lots 50 feet fronting on [illegible]
[illegible] KAUFMAN & RANDOLPH

FOR RENT—Rooms on second floor over Henry's new [illegible] Dressmaking Parlors J M CLOKEY
Feb 18 dtf

NOTICE

The undersigned hereby gives notice that he will make application to the city council at its next regular meeting August [illegible] 1882 for a license to retail spirituous liquors in a house situated on lot [illegible] of the north east quarter of the north east quarter section fifteen [illegible] township sixteen [illegible] north range No two [illegible] east of the third principal meridian in the city of Decatur Illinois—said building being owned by Downing & Kraft H W DOWNING
July 19 d w

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[illegible]
2 cases very handsome DRESS GINGHAMS at [illegible]
2 [illegible] all size CHECK GINGHAMS [illegible] cts
25 pieces *all* pure LINEN LAWN [illegible] price 40 cts
30 pieces real FRENCH GINGHAMS [illegible]
1 case PRINTS at [illegible] cts
2 cases PRINTS at [illegible]
2 cases PRINTS at 7 cts
2 cases PRINTS elegant [illegible]

2 cases IRONSIDE CORSETS [illegible] best shape Corset for [illegible] ties at 50 and 75 cts

We have a large stock of WHITE GOODS [illegible] and plain Swiss Mulls Bishop Victoria [illegible] Nainsooks Brocade novelties in cream [illegible]

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20 pieces new cream and black Spanish [illegible] Compare Edelweiss Oriental real [illegible]

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Jun 26 d wtf

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$4.00	MANILLA HATS at	$3.0[illegible]
$3.00	" "	$2.2[illegible]
$2.50	MACKINAW "	$2.0[illegible]
$2.00	" "	$1.6[illegible]

Cheaper grades [illegible]

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July 11 1882 dtf

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Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs

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Ladies' Japanese Crape Shawls

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JOHN IRWIN'S WHITE FRONT,

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Will also make special prices on all Summer Goods in stock. Do not buy until you examine our goods. My stock of

SUMMER VESTS!

for Style, Quality and Workmanship, is unequaled in the city. Have concluded to close the line and will name prices that will insure their speedy sale. Come early and avoid the rush

July 14 d&wtf

At Cost Prices,

PARASOLS,
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LADIES' MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.
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Novelties in Ladies' Neck Wear.

☞ OUR REDUCTIONS are genuine. Our Prices Lower than those of any competitor. Our goods are reliable. We make no misrepresentations of values. We save you money, and we respectfully ask your inspection

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Wonderful Variety of Designs

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We Keep Every Make of Watch,

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15 TO 20 PER CT.

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We have many little novelties in

LADIES'

Initial Pins and Collar Buttons!

See them while the Designs are New,

O. E. Curtis & Co.,

LEADING JEWELERS.

June 27 d&wtf

ABEL & LOCKE

Are receiving Carloads of

SELECT PATTERNS. CARPETS ELEGANT STYLES.

WALLPAPER.

RICH COLORINGS. DURABLE QUALITY.

—AND—

CURTAINS,

Which are being sold at a GREAT BARGAIN.

30 DAYS.

For thirty days we will sell

DRY GOODS AND MILLINERY

At CLOSING OUT PRICES.

Every Sale a Bargain for the Purchaser.

BONNETS and HATS

Trimmed and Untrimmed.

PLUMES, FLOWERS, RIBBONS, &c.,

At Cost and Less than Cost.

DRESS GOODS, SILKS,

Satins, Lace Collarettes, Buntings, Nun's Veilings, Lawns, Percales, Prints, Ginghams, &c., at LOWER PRICES THAN EVER KNOWN.

Inspection of Goods and prices will fully confirm the above statement.

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,

July 6—d&wtf NO 10 MERCHANT STREET.

—THE—

BIG SHOE STORE,

13 EAST MAIN ST. THROUGH TO 9 WATER ST.

Wholesale and Retail Boots & Shoes.

LARGEST STOCK. LOWEST PRICES. BEST GOODS.

L. L. FERRISS & CO., DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

July 11, 1882—d&wly

ATTENTION, ALL!

D. DUSTMAN,

FURNITURE DEALER

On the North Side of the City Park, is giving the

BEST FURNITURE

For the Least Money of Any House in Decatur.

His Stock is all New. No Second-hand in Stock. Latest Styles Received Daily.

☞ Call and see him, and you cannot fail to be pleased with his goods and prices.

July 18—d6m1

The Daily Republican.

TERMS.

Per week, payable to Carrier,	*15 Cts.*
One year, in advance,	*$7.00*
Six Months, "	*3.50*
Three Months, "	*1.75*

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JULY 19, 1882.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR CORONER.

We are authorized to announce JOHN T. [illegible] as a candidate for coroner, subject to the decision of the republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce JESSE B. [illegible] as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Everybody should have one of those Majolica Salad Bowls, at E. D. Bartholomew & Co's.

Prayer meetings this evening.

Baptist S. S. picnic next Friday.

There were quite a number of attractions in Decatur yesterday.

Carpenters at the poor farm are busy as bees getting out the necessary woodwork for the new poor house building.

Take a look through Siddall & Co's new grocery store if you wish to see a fine stock and a well kept establishment.

H. Mueller & Son are now conducting the gunsmith, plumbing and gas fitting business at the old stand. See notice of the dissolution of the old firm in another column.

You can find anything you want in the house furnishing line at Abel & Locke's.

The Hargrave building on North Water street, has been sold to George Kraft and Harvey W. Downing. The price paid for the property was $1,000.

John Irwin has a special ad. in today's issue, in which he quotes a [illegible] reduction in prices. Call at the White Front.

The Fourth Ward Clipper and the Blue Stocking will play a matched game of base ball at the Reds' park tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon, commencing at 3 o'clock. Admission 10 cents.

See those lovely lace curtains and beautiful lambrequins at Abel & Locke's' carpet house.

Land near Cutler, on the Kankakee river, must be valuable. We learn that Mr. John R. Miller offered $600 for three acres near the bridge, and that the owner refused to sell.

The democrats of the first district announce that they will assemble at Eldorado hose house No. 2, on Friday evening, and organize a democratic club. Ald. Gowdy, M. B. Thomas, Ald. Shoemaker and John Dunn [illegible] at the head of the new movement.

The Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific R. R. will run an excursion to Baxter Springs. Rate for the round trip, $15; and also round trip to Florence, $15. For particulars inquire of Thomas Evans, Excursion Agent, Decatur, Ill. 18-d1d

For the next thirty days I will give away a fancy China tea set, containing fifty-six pieces, with one hundred cans of [illegible] Coin Baking Powder. [illegible] Respectfully, [illegible] July 18-d1m

Special attention is directed today to the new advertisement of Mr. Daniel Dustman, who has opened a first-class furniture store on the north side of the city park. His stock is new and complete in every respect, and his prices are as low as the lowest. Give Mr. Dustman a call.

To enable Decatur people to attend the first annual exhibition of the National Mining and Industrial Exposition at Denver, the Wabash Railway Company will sell round trip tickets from Decatur to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo at $47.75, good going from July 15th to Sept. 25th, and good to return until Oct. 31st. July 19d

Mrs. [illegible] of Chicago, State Corresponding Secretary of the "Woman's Christian Temperance Union" of Illinois, met a number of Decatur ladies at the First M. E. church on yesterday afternoon and addressed them on the subject of home protection work. The lady is a fine talker, and should have had a larger number of hearers.

W. H. Wright has quit [illegible] and will now be found at J. C. Wright & Co's furniture store, west side of the old square, where he will be pleased to see all his friends [illegible] buy when they [illegible] in the furniture line, or get their broken pieces repaired. July17 d&w1

One of Decatur's suburban towns on the P. D. & E. road is Mt. Pulaski. This town is about 50 years old, and the two men who planned and built the first house on the hill where Mt. Pulaski now is are still living, hale and hearty, and seem to have no fear of dying for several decades. Hon. Leonard K. Scroggin was the man who planned the first house—a log hut—and Mr. Jabez Capps hewed out the logs and built it. Mr. Scroggin is only about 53 years old now, but Mr. Capps is about 86, and he can do more manual labor than any one of his children, among whom are several strong men. The hill upon which the town is built is 350 feet above the level of the sea, and the old court house, which was built and used when the county seat of Logan county was there some twenty years or more ago, is still standing at the summit of the hill.

The Illinois Central Railroad Company will run two more excursions to Clear Lake, Iowa, as follows: July 19th, to attend the Sunday School Assembly, and July 31, the Great Musical Festival, for the low price of $10 for the round trip, tickets good for 60 days. Good Hotels at the Lake. Fishing tackle, &c., and all that parties need for a good time can be procured on the ground at reasonable prices. Now is the time for pleasure seekers to have a nice clean and quick trip; also health and pleasure combined. For further information inquire of J. F. Merry, Excursion Agent, or W. S. Nichols, Ticket Agent, Decatur. 18-d1d

Hotel Furnished.

Mr. Joseph Allison, the proprietor of the new hotel at Niantic, whilst in the city yesterday called at the popular furniture store of D. Dustman, north side of the city park, and bought a complete outfit of new furniture, chairs, springs, mattresses and lounges, and will in a few days be ready to accommodate his patrons in the best style.

BARGAINS.

I will close out my entire stock of Millinery, Notions, and Ladies' Furnishing Goods for the next thirty days at cost. Call and see me at No. 28 East Main street, Decatur, Ill.

July 11-d&wtf MRS. K. EINSTEIN.

A BRACE OF BURGLARIES.

Two Residences Entered, Property Stolen and Much Damage Done.

NO. 1.

During yesterday afternoon the residence of Mr. Samuel Knight, traveling freight agent of the Wabash, on East Eldorado street, was entered by one or more burglars. The missing property consists of the money that had been placed in a child's saving bank, a revolver and a suit of clothes belonging to Mr. Knight.

NO. 2.

Between 5 and 6 o'clock last evening the second burglary was committed. The house entered was the residence of Mrs. Dr. Roberts, at No. 26 West Prairie street. Mrs. Roberts and her daughters are absent in the north and there was no one in the dwelling at the time. Those who occupy the residence at night are Will and James Roberts and John W. Clugston and Homer T. Bailey, both salesmen at Linn & Scruggs' store, all of whom have sleeping apartments on the second floor, Mr. C. and Mr. B. occupying a room together. The burglars entered the residence through the dining room window on the west side. They pried open the shutters and then shoved up the window as it was not fastened. They found the door opening from the dining room into the hall securely locked, and the glass transom above was also fastened. The burglars went into a wash-room near by and from a drawer they secured a monkey wrench and other tools, with which they broke the glass in the transom and tore out the frame. Then one of the cracksmen crawled over the door and unlocked it. Evidently the burglars didn't waste any time below but went at once up stairs, and entering the sleeping apartments they went through every receptacle for clothes and valuables they could find.

In the room occupied by the salesmen named, the robbers carried off the following articles, the property of Mr. Bailey: Two pair of pantaloons, a blue worsted coat and vest, half dozen white shirts, as good as new, half dozen pairs new socks, a new silk handkerchief, several pieces of underclothing, half dozen new neckties, a red morocco valise, a pocket book and $2.25 in cash, all valued at about $100. Mr. Bailey's trunk was broken open and almost ruined.

Mr. Clugston's stolen property includes the following articles: One new suit of clothes, worn twice, valued at $38; four new white shirts, several undershirts, two silk handkerchiefs bearing embroidered monograms, an amethyst ring worth $25; a new $3.50 hat, a lot of white handkerchiefs and other articles, the total cash value of the loss footing up about $75.

The room of Will Roberts adjoining was also entered, and his Prince Albert coat and vest were taken.

The door opening into the room of Miss Alice Roberts, also on the second floor, was locked, but the burglars broke it open by using one of Mr. Clugston's heavy dumb bells, with which instrument the locked drawers of Miss Roberts' elegant dressing case were also forced open. The dressing case is ruined, and the contents of the drawers and the trunks were strewn over the floor in the greatest confusion. Handsome silk dresses were handled roughly and piled up in heaps, while white goods and pieces of finery were tossed about recklessly, showing that the fellows worked rapidly in their search for money and jewelry.

The same confusion was displayed in the Bailey Clugston room, where the contents of the trunks, such as clothing, books, letters and private papers, were scattered about over the floor, just as if a [illegible] cyclone had struck the room.

THE DISCOVERY

of the burglary was not made until about 8 o'clock, when Mr. Clugston went to his room and found things in the state above described. The curtains were down and the shutters of the outside windows were closed. A closer examination of the room disclosed the losses stated; and the additional fact that the burglars had stripped themselves of their clothing even to underclothing and put on the stolen property.

As soon as possible Marshal Hewes was notified of the theft, and the clothing left by the robbers was turned over to him. One of the suits left by the burglars has been identified by Mr. Knight as his property, which fact is clinching evidence that the parties who broke into his house are the same ones who went through the Roberts' residence in such a daring manner.

All attempts last night to capture the robbers proved fruitless, although all the trains were closely watched.

It was learned this morning that on last evening at about five o'clock, a young colored boy employed by Mr. J. A. Close as a hostler, saw two men enter the Roberts lot. One of them asked the boy if any one was at home, to which the boy replied in the negative. The fellow also inquired when the occupants would return to the house. The boy said he couldn't tell, and then the robbers disappeared. The boy was not suspicious, and thought the strangers were booksellers or men desiring to see some member of the family. A girl, who is engaged to attend to the chamber work, was in the house at 4:30 o'clock, and having discharged her duties, left before five o'clock.

Attention, Ladies.

Another meeting of the ladies who are willing to assist in the fair and festival to be given at the tabernacle by the new hook and ladder company, will be held in the residence portion of the county jail, on Thursday afternoon, July 20, at three o'clock, sharp. The ladies have concluded to leave the fair and festival on Tuesday, as advertised on the posters.

MRS. W. W. FOSTER, President.
MRS. JO. S. HEWES, Vice-Pres.

New Boot and Shoe Shop.

Loui MacKenzie, who has been in the employ of J. W. Baker for the past six months, has associated himself with E. W. Chandler, and will next week open a shop on Prairie street, in the room lately occupied by H. Singleton, where they will make to order first-class boots and shoes. They guarantee satisfaction to all who may favor them with their patronage, and respectfully invite the public to call upon them. july18-d&wtf

An Important Discovery

Has been made whereby a successful vegetable combination has been introduced, which acts upon the bowels, the liver and the kidneys, and at the same time imparts strength and vitality to the entire system. BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS constitute this important discovery. Price $1.00. Sold by all druggists. 18

After Many Years.

To-morrow Mr. W. H. Grindol, the marble dealer, will commence the removal of the corner stone from the old Masonic building opposite opera block. This stone, which weighs about 300 pounds, lies near the surface of the ground, and is in the northeast corner of the old building. The stone was laid 42 years ago, and will probably be used as the corner stone in the new Masonic temple. It will be relaid with fitting ceremonies about a month hence. A union meeting of the Decatur Masonic fraternity will probably be held on Friday evening next, when steps may be taken to arrange for an immense blow-out when the corner-stone is relaid. It is the purpose of the Decatur Masons to send out invitations to all sister lodges in the state, and no doubt many thousand people will be here to participate in the ceremonies. Among those Masons living to-day who saw the old corner-stone laid in 1840, are J. R. Gorin and Henry Hummell.

HOME FLYERS

Give an Exhibition Trial of Speed for Handsome Prizes.

Yesterday was an eventful day in Decatur, the political wire-pullers and pleasure-seekers having ample opportunities for putting in extra time attending the prohibition congressional convention and witnessing the trial of speed at the driving park, and the game of base ball. The crowd at the Brenneman & Downing driving park, about a mile north of the city, numbered about 300 people, representing in a large degree the fashionable element of this community. The contests were for four prizes, handsome whips, valued at $25, $15, $10 and $7 respectively.

THE FIRST CONTEST.

The entries for the first contest, mile heats, the roadster winning two heats in three to take the first prize, were Ham W. Fenton's bay mare, "Agnes," driven by Harry Hathaway; Frank P. Roach's bay horse, "Tramp," driven by George Watts; J. W. Race's black mare, "Daisy," driven by D. L. Vigus; Harry Lintner's black mare, "Long Nine," driven by John Sanders, and Thomas Weaver's black horse, "Diamond," driven by the owner.

The start was made in good shape, and resulted in Fenton winning the two straight heats; time, 2:56 and 2:54, taking the $25 whip; Roach was given second prize, the $15 whip, and J. W. Race third prize, the $10 whip.

THE SECOND CONTEST

was equally as interesting and provoked much merriment. The prize was a $7 whip, and the entries were D. A. Maffit's "Blacksmith Maid," R. R. Montgomery's "Lady," Dr. A. S. Waltz's sorrel mare, "No Name," and Ford Greer's "Duffer." Maffit's "Maid," that ought to have started in the first contest, as she is a fast traveler, made the two single mile heats in 3:19 and 3:12, and won the prize.

The admission to the park was 25 cents each. The exhibition commenced at 3 o'clock, and continued for about two hours.

Decatur vs. Lincoln.

The Lincoln base ballists came to town yesterday and defeated the Decatur Reds in great shape. There was a big crowd in attendance, as usual, the gate receipts being about $60. The visitors excelled in batting, their excellent work making it very tiresome for the Reds' pitcher. The score by innings was

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Decatur	2	7	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	—14.
Lincoln	1	0	5	1	2	9	0	2		—20.

There were two Peoria players in the Lincoln club, and Amos Baim and Frank O. Martin, of Decatur, also assisted the visitors in vanquishing the home club.

A Card.

False reports having been maliciously circulated that I have made overcharges for threshing wheat for Macon county farmers, I wish to state thus publicly that all such reports are lies, and the necessary proofs can be furnished if desired. One report is that I charged Mr. Reavely 10 cents a bushel for threshing. I charged him but five cents, and Henry Bowers paid me that price for that work, and he now holds my receipt for the full amount.

d&wlt W. E. DUKES.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Dr. S. C. Ham, of Argenta, was in the city for a few hours on Tuesday.

B. C. Winston, of Springfield, was in Decatur to-day.

Prof. N. L. Glover and family, of Akron, O., are in the city visiting Mr. G.'s sister, Mrs. H. B. Lewis, and other friends.

Mrs. E. C. Roach and Mrs. B. O. McReynolds have gone to Kentucky to remain for several weeks.

Charles Condell has returned home from his two months' experience as a fisherman at Kankakee river.

Mrs. Laura Hunt and sister, Miss Fannie Shellabarger, are on their way home from Europe. They will probably arrive in the city to-morrow afternoon.

C. C. Pierce, of Indianapolis, agent for the Merchant's Despatch fast freight line transportation company, was in Decatur yesterday on business.

Elder J. V. Beekman, of Lincoln, came over to see his Decatur friends on yesterday. He was not a delegate to the prohibition convention, and took no part in its proceedings. He is for Capt. Rowell, the republican nomineee.

Ex-Ald. S. Overmire and family took their departure yesterday for Minneapolis, Minn., where they will reside for an indefinite period. The household effects of the family were forwarded by freight. Mr. Overmire will engage in business at Minneapolis.

Captain Foster and Lieut. Wismer, of the Guards, departed for Springfield this morning to be present at the election of a colonel for the Fifth Regiment, I. N. G. Col. Barkley's time has expired. He will doubtless be re-elected.

Alderman and Mrs. W. H. Bramble departed this noon for Waukesha, Wisconsin, where they will remain ror several weeks. Mr. Bramble goes north on business and pleasure. He will visit Chicago and Rockford and then join his wife at Waukesha.

DIED.

Tuesday evening, July 18th, ROY, infant son of A. J. and Emma Hanks, aged 3½ months. The funeral will take place from the residence of the parents on West Wood street, this (Wednesday) evening at 5 o'clock, Elder Pinkerton officiating. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

In this city, on July 18, 1882, of lung fever, EMMA, daughter of William Young, the tailor, aged three years.

The remains will be interred in the cemetery near Boody.

FISHING AND RELIGION.

Sights as Seen by a Decatur Man at the Iowa Camp Meeting.

CLEAR LAKE, IOWA, JULY 14.

EDS. REPUBLICAN:—We promised you in our last letter to report our success at fishing. We have just come back from the lake with all the fish we want. We have 13 fine bass, weighing from 1 to 3 pounds, some fine pike, and yesterday we caught a fine string of pickerel, bass and pike, weighing from 1 to 7 pounds. Our party are all in good health and enjoying themselves very well. The weather is cool and pleasant. We had a fine rain last night that laid the dust and made it more pleasant. We attend camp meeting in the afternoon and evening; they are having a glorious revival—from one to two hundred at the altar at a time. There are a great many preachers here, and good ones too. Harrison and McCabe take the lead. Harrison is a small man, medium height, very slim, will not weigh over 125 pounds, very nervous and excitable, and does not say anything particularly new, but there is something in his manner of saying it that differs from them all. He commands the closest attention and holds his immense audience spell bound. You could hear the slightest noise when he is speaking, and by his quick and incessant glance over the audience he can see any act that may be amiss, when he does not hesitate to speak of it and point out the offender, using his own language—says it shows a lack of brains, &c. I saw him in one prayer raise from off his knees 11 times and away back and forth like a tree before a storm. There is something about him that commands respect and attention. McCabe is a noble looking man, 6 feet tall, and richly deserves his world-wide reputation as a singer. It is worth all it cost to come here and hear him sing. Dr. Butler's lectures are the finest I ever heard from any man. Excursions on the lake, sail boats taking and bringing fishermen, the renewing of old and forming of new acquaintances, the rush and bustle on the avenues, give outside entertainments during the interval of service, while the inside of the spacious pavilion forms the centre of attraction and makes it very interesting. F. L. WOOD.

Runaway Accident at Argenta.

Last Sunday afternoon Little Pearl, daughter of Dr. S. C. Ham, came very near being killed by the running away of his team of Mountain ponies. Little Pearl was put into the buggy to ride to the barn, and before the Doctor could get into the buggy and get control of the lines the team started, and as they went toward the barn they had to pass a sand and gravel bank, and in doing so ran two of the wheels up on the bank which threw the Doctor out and left Pearl in the buggy with the team running with all their might. The ponies went toward the barn and passed it, making a turn toward the road again and broke the line. Pearl was by this time lying across the end of the seat with her feet between the bed and hind wheel, holding on to the seat and screaming for Papa. The line on the right side, by providential direction, it seems, wound around the hub of the wheel and was the cause of stopping the team, so little Pearl could be secured by her Papa lifting her out uninjured, except slight superficial bruises. In one hand when put into the buggy Pearl held a lead pencil, and when taken out of the buggy she held the pencil tight and firm in the hand. Providence certainly should receive all praise for the winding of the line around that hub. The parents think so at least.

The Odd Fellows will have an excellent new hall above Mr. Garber's new store room. They will organize as soon as the hall is completed.

The firm of Wilson & Helmick, general merchants, is doing a fine business. They are men of energy.

Our new school house is coming before long for a certainty.

Lou Bricker is suffering from a chronic condition of heart disease. His family physician has advised him to take the first Car(r) east for his health.

Mr. Elson is quite sick, we learn, with lung fever. His condition was somewhat improved to-day. There are quite a number sick here.

The farmers are gathering in the abundant harvest in this section. G.

ARGENTA, July 19, '82.

Attention, Knights Templar.

Regular conclave of Beaumanoir Commandery No. 9, Thursday evening, the 20th, at 8 o'clock. A full attendance earnestly requested.

JNO. HATFIELD, E. C.
N. L. KRONE, R.

Knights of Pythias.

Regular meeting of Cœur De Leon Lodge No. 17, K. of P., this (Wednesday) evening. Work in 1st and 2d ranks and other important business. A full attendance expected. C. M. DURFEE,
H. MCCLELLAN, C. C. K. of R. & S.

Deaf as a Post.

Mrs. W. J. Lang, Bethany, Ont., states that for fifteen months she was troubled with a disease in the ear, causing entire deafness. In ten minutes after using THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL she found relief, and in a short time she was entirely cured and her hearing restored. Sold by druggists. 18

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The Closing Quotations at Wilcox & Armstrong's Commission Rooms, at 1 p. m. To-day.

CHICAGO, July 19.

WHEAT—$1.09¾ July, $1.03⅝ Aug; $1.02⅝ Sept; $1.01½ Year.

CORN—76¾ July; 75⅝ Aug; 75½ Sept; 71¾ Oct; 67¾ Year.

OATS—— July; 38¾ Aug; 35⅝ Sept; 35⅝ Oct; 34¾ Year.

PORK—$20.70 Aug; $20.87½ Sept; $21.00 Oct.

LARD—Aug; $12.37½ $12.45 Sept; $12.55 Oct.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

HOGS—Estimated receipts, 11,000; shipments, 3,163; light hogs, $7.50@$8.20; mixed, $7.60@$8.15; heavy, $8.30@$8.60; cattle receipts, 4,700.

	Receipts.	*Shipments.*	*Car Lots.*
WHEAT........	192,450	130,247	16
CORN........	286,121	164,084	272
OATS........	52,301	65,637	54
RYE........	3127	2000	8

NEW YORK, July 19.

WHEAT—$1.18¼ July; $1.17¾ Aug; $1.17½ Sept; $1.19½ Oct; $1.17½ Year.

CORN—82¼ July; 82¾ Aug; 84 Sept; 84 Oct; 78½ Year.

TOLEDO, July 19.

WHEAT—$1.09 July; $1.08¾ Aug; $1.08½ Sept; $1.05 Year.

CORN—76 July; 75 Aug; 75 Sept; 65 Year.

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Rhadames, Satin De Lyon, Merveilleux, Armures, Brocade Grenadines, Brocade Silks, Summer Silks and

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DRESS GOODS from 6¼ to 12½ cts., that are very cheap.
ALL-WOOL BUNTINGS 12½ cents.
HANDSOME PERCALES, 31 inches wide, 6¼ cts.
400 doz. Gents' WHITE LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS at 10, 14 and 15c, 50 per cent below value

Between four and five hundred dozen TOWELS from 9 to 25 cents below importers' prices.

LONSDALE COTTON, 9 cents.
FRUIT OF THE LOOM, 9 cents.
COTTONADES at 15 cents, worth 20 cents.

LACES, RIBBONS, TRIMMINGS, SILKS and SATINS, DRESS BUTTONS, GIMPS, FRINGES, HANDKERCHIEFS, EMBROIDERIES, TIES and SCARFS, in great variety, and at low prices

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Decatur, March 22, 1882 d&wtf

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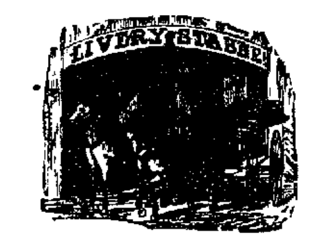

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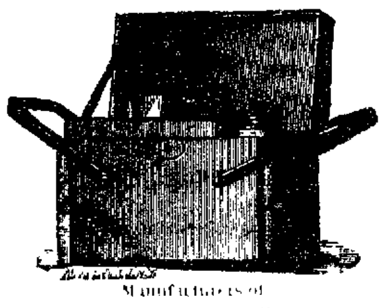

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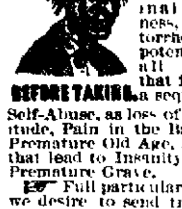

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DECATUR, ILL., JULY 19, 1882.

Imaginary Birds.

The phœnix, as everybody knows, gathers dry sticks to make its funereal pyre, which it then contrives to set alight, and is presently consumed in the flames. From its ashes a worm crawls out, and, being gradually covered with feathers, takes the form of its parent bird. The eagle, which fears nothing else, dreads the approach of venomous serpents. To avert evil from its eaglets it places two agates in its nest. When its beak grows too long it breaks off the superfluous piece against a rock. The serre is a very powerful bird, and takes immense flights. It is fond of the company of ships, but if a vessel happens to be an unusually swift sailer, it closes its wings and sinks to the bottom of the sea. A sentimental bird is the female turtle-dove. Should its mate chance to die, it never again alights on a leafy tree. It is remarkable for its chastity, but is averse from melody. If it hears the warbling of other birds it groans dismally. In winter time it loses its feathers, and shelters itself in holes and hollows. It is related of the woodpecker that if any one drives in a peg to close the entrance to the hole in the tree in which its nest is built it flies off in quest of a particular herb with which it touches the peg, whereupon it falls out. This, too, is curious. The hoopoe is unable to moult in a natural manner. Its young ones, therefore, pull out its feathers, and cover and feed her till they are full grown. The stork's young ones are not less filial. So long as the parent bird has provided for her brood, so long will her brood provide for her. On the other hand, the male crow is cruel to its offspring, and pecks at and beats them till their feathers are as black as his own. The vainest and silliest of all birds is the peacock. When it looks upon its brilliant plumage it is so delighted that it spreads out the glories of its tail, but when it looks down upon its feet it is so disgusted and so ashamed of itself that its tail droops to the ground. It is said to have the voice of a fiend, the head of a snake, and the gait of a thief. The swan likes to be accompanied by a harp, and is most melodious during the last year of its life. It is also interesting to learn that the swallow is capable of restoring sight to its "callow brood" when carried away into captivity and blinded. Any one going where snakes abound will do well to take with him some burned vulture's feathers. The heart of a vulture wrapped in the skin of a lion or of a wolf frightens away demons. It is quite untrue that vultures were originally a race of men who were cruel to the pygmies. But how is it that medical men do not make greater use of the caladrius? If this beautiful, snow-white little bird, which is a native of Jerusalem, be held in front of a man whose death is certain, it averts its head, and will in no wise look at him, but, if on the contrary, the sick man is destined to live in spite of his physicians, the caladrius turns to him, as John Trevisa expresses it, "lannynge and playsynge."
—*All the Year Round.*

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If you are suffering with low and depressed spirits, loss of appetite, general debility, disordered blood, weak constitution, headache, or any disease of a bilious nature, by all means procure a bottle of Electric Bitters. You will be surprised to see the rapid improvement that will follow, you will be inspired with new life; strength and activity will return, pain and misery will cease, and henceforth you will rejoice in the praise of Electric Bitters. Sold at 50 cents a bottle by Hubbard & Swearingen. 5

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Joy, Joy to the World

If you meet a man who looks as if he had lost all his friends, had his house burned down and business destroyed, just make up your mind that he either has dyspepsia or his liver is out of order. The best thing you can do for such a woe-begone individual is to advise him to go to Dr. A. J. Stoner's drug store and get a bottle of Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic, which will cure him without fail. Also an infallible remedy for pimples and blotches on the face. Only 50 cents a bottle. 1

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The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds, and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. [April 3-d&w1y

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THE New York State Association of Undertakers and the National Association of Funeral Directors have recently held sessions in Rochester, N. Y. One might suppose they were solemn gatherings, but from descriptions given by the press they were anything else. In fact it was about the jolliest crowd that ever astonished the good people of Rochester. A correspondent says: "Suffice it to say that the hotel bar-keeper drove a brisk trade until the landlord positively refused to keep the bar open any longer, when about sixty of the jolly undertakers marched four abreast and invaded a saloon on Main street, where they made night hideous with their revelings, and unanimously refused to go home till daylight did appear, which determination they duly chorused in vocal rhyme and faithfully kept. Truly the ways of the sportive undertaker (when he is away from home) are past finding out, and goes to prove the wisdom of the time worn adage that 'one half the world doesn't know how the other half lives.'"

The Modern Caucus.

An aged citizen who was one of the early settlers, was seen coming out on to the sidewalk in front of a place where a caucus was being held, a few nights before election, on his ear. He seemed to be propelled by some unseen power, and as he got up and picked up his hat out of the gutter, brushed the mud off his sleeve and wiped the blood off his nose, a friend went up to him and asked what was the matter. The old man said, "Well, I hain't attended a caucus in thirty year, but my nephew wanted me to go to-night, and when I proposed that the meeting be opened with prayer, I think the stove fell over on me. A fellow said, 'O, give us a rest,' and I don't know how I got out here, but I did. Why, in '49 they used to open political meetings with prayer, and close 'em the same way. This caucus opened with a knock down and I s'pose it will close with a riot. Hello, there is another man riding down stairs without any saddle, and I s'pose *he* proposed some old-fashioned custom. Say, do you think my eye will be black? I told the old lady I was goin' to meetin' and I wouldn't like to have her think I had lost my temper and struck the sexton. Well, that's the last politics for me." The old man, however, got a policeman to go with him while he voted on election day.—*Milwaukee Sun.*

A SYRACUSE Justice of the Peace postponed a trial on account of the death of the prisoner's mother, the prisoner asking the favor in piteous and tearful tones. When the trial was resumed two days after it was found that the prisoner had gone to Canada, and that his mother had been dead nine years. The justice says the next man that tries to play a corpse on him has got to produce the body or a certificate from the doctor who attended the deceased. That would seem to be fair.

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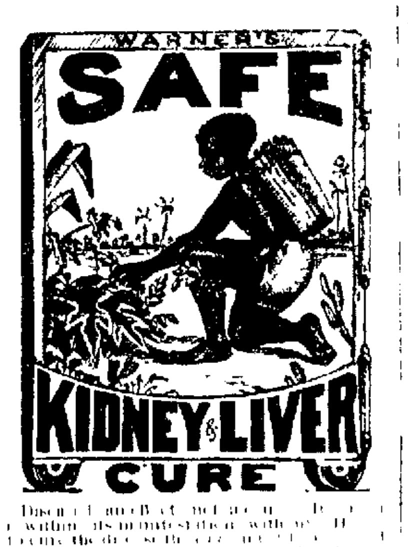

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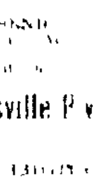

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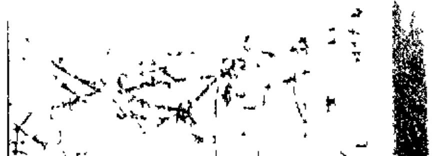

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